

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.**

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY, JANUARY 18, 2005**, upon the application of **ST. MARY LAND & EXPLORATION COMPANY**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A**, in the East Dykesville Field, Webster Parish, Louisiana.

1. To create one drilling and production unit for the exploration for and the production of oil and gas for the Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A.
2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the proposed unit in accordance with Section 10, Title 30, of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, with each tract to share in the unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
3. To require future wells drilled to the Cotton valley Zone, Reservoir A, to be located 330 feet from unit lines and 1320 feet between wells.
4. To designate St. Mary Land & Exploration Company as the unit operator for the proposed CV RA SUA.
5. To designate the ST. Mary Land & Exploration Company - Lindsey No. 1 Well as the unit well for the proposed CV RA SUA.
6. To provide for a reclassification of the reservoir if the producing characteristics should change without the necessity of a public hearing if evidence is presented to and accepted by the Commissioner of Conservation to warrant such change.
7. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A, is to be defined as that oil and gas productive interval encountered between the depths from 9,000 feet to 9,800 feet (electric log measurements) in the St. Mary Land & Exploration Company - Lindsey 28 No. 1 Well, located in Section 28, Township 23 North, Range 9 West, Webster Parish, Louisiana.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge and Shreveport**, Louisiana.

[www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm](http://www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm).

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

**BY ORDER OF:**

**JAMES H. WELSH  
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION**

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**IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.**